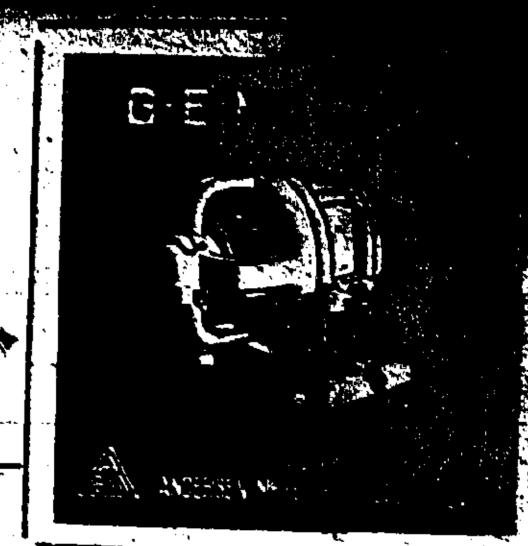


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TO-DAY'S CHINESE TELEGRAMS.

Peking, December 16, The community of the natives of Kiangson, Kansu and Kiangsi, wing to the Government not having the intention of abolishing the inspectors' posts, intend to stop the elections as a protest.

Chan Kwong-yuen, Tuchun of Kiangsi, has wired that although Chao Hang-tik has resumed the Tuchunship of Hunan, whether he can control the whole province is very doubtful. Moreover Li Litobush is reported to have made preparations to advance on that province.

The Government is trying to borrowdowns from the Chinese Pank Group for the disbandment of soldiers, but the Consortium has also shown its inclination to advance loans for the same purpose

Other Early and Special Telegrams on Pages 2 and 3.

FOOTBALL,

To-Morrow's League Programme.

The following is the programme of matches arranged to take place P-mortow :-

DIVISION L

Hongkong Club v. H.M.S. Ambrose, -Club ground, at 4 p.m. Kowloon v. 8.C.A. Navy "A" ground, at 4 p.m.

R.G.A. v. H.M.S. Carlisle, Sookunpoo ground, at 4 p.m. Wiltshires v. Hongkong Police. -Navy "B" ground, at 4 p.m.

DIVISION. II. ...

2.30 p.m. 2.30 p.m.

2.39 p.m.

at 2.30 p.m.

Reserves.—SC.A. ground, at 4 p.m. St. Joseph's College v. United St. Joseph's ground at 4 p.m.

. The Club will be at home this week, when they receive the Ambrose. The Navy team seems to be unable to get its stronges: side out just now. The home team should win if they play up to their form. Last week their forwards gave a very poor exhibition of football on the St. Joseph's ground.

The Kowloon team will have they expect to take the points from | win on their recent play. the S. C. A. The Kowloon backs did not play their usual safe game. At times they cleared awkwardiy and it was left to Urocker in goal to keep the Club

The R.C.A. are due to meet Carlisle in their postponed match from Nov. 27th. Last week the sailors were unable to field a eide and it is rumoured that are about to withdraw the League and to over their remaining fixtures to another ship; that is if the other Clubs in the League are in a reement. Whether they age turning out again or not will be seen to-morrow. If the match takes place the soldiers should

Wiltshires receive the Police on the Navy "B" ground where a fast game should be seen. The Wiltshires have a couple of their usual side on the injured but it is expected that they will take the points. The Police will turn out in force and work hard to save the game. for in future League games they will have the assistance of their brilliant goalkeeper, Swann, and will be probably strengthened by some new blood in the recruits.

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League reaches in half-way mark H. Blythe. to-morrow.

WARWICK COMEDY COMPANY.

"The Case of Lady Camber.

"The Case of Lady Camber" Company at the Theatre Royal last night, and in their capable Chedas). hands, it was but a repetition of the success previously achieved. The play is by this time well known, and it scarcely needs a recitation of the outline here Miss Beatrix Wynn as the ailing Lady Camber gave a new charm to the forceful expressions with which the character of this lady is associated. Mr. Tom Fen Indian Rec. Club v. Club de wick gave a neat portraya Recreio-Navy "A" ground, at of the character of "my Lord," while the old-fashioned 22nd Punjabis v. Staffs and if somewhat comical family Colony. Depts. - Sookunpoo ground, at | practitioner "Sir Bedford Slufter," had a clear portrayal in the Oilers United v. H.M.S. Carlisle splendid acting of Mr. Frank d'Arcos. Whilst serving as Res.-Navy "B" ground, at Wheatley, Mr. N. Thorpe Mayne as " Dr. Barley Napier " acquitted Harkong Club Reserves v. himself well. Miss Lena Flower-R.G.A. Reserves .-- Club ground, dew and Miss Joan Mayne sustained their parts admirably S.C.A. Reserves v. Kowloon In the miner roles. Miss Muriel days off the coast of Africa. bases, the ribs to the ceiling being Aked, as the garrulous " Peach'

is being staged.

Oilers will win.

Another good gan - will be seen

strings meet on the Club ground, will open the proceedings with a Photographs of the architects' might follow. and it is difficult to forecast the speech, and other speeches will drawings of the frontages of the from winning. The S.C.A., on result, for in a practice game this probably follow. Minutes of the building will appear in tomorrow's their showing las: Saturday, week the Club turned out some of proceedings will be signed by Hongkong Telegraph. their old players with a view of

> St. Joseph's, and Staffs and Depts should win their games to morrow against United and Punjabis, while the match Indians v. Club de Recreio should end in al draw.

TEAMS.

Taylor, C. Millard, R. Townsend, Stubbs, K.C.M.G."

F. Evelyn, F. Clemo. In the 2nd Div. of the League

To-day's Stone-Laying Ceremony.

It was just 54 years ago to-day the total floor area nearly 4,000 that the inauguration took place square feet. of the old LusitanoClub in Shelley particular can be proud.

The usual exchange of salutes marked the arrival at 11 o'clock gunboat Patria, on which was Excellency Henrique Monteiro Correa da Silva, the Governor of Macao, who is performing the stonelaying cere mony of the new Club. His Exwas played by the Warwick cellency is accompanied by Lady forres da Silva and is attended his A.D.C. (Lieutenant)

deputation comprising members of the Reception Committee. headed by the Portuguese Consul, (Senhor Ceveira de Albuquerque) boarded the warship to receive the Governor. Captain McGrath, Stubbs' A.D.C.) also proceeded on

son of the late Conde Paco valour only, for saving a pinnace walls of the ball room will have after being stranded for seven phlasters with moulded caps and He was for some years Gov. suitably enriched. The floors of was a source of great amusement. ernor of Mossamedes and was the verandahs, entrance hall, etc., To-night that ever-popular so successful an adminstrator will be covered with a handsome comedy "Eliza comes to stay" that he was selected to be Gov- design of English tiles. ernor of Macao. During the war It would be possible to say a he was in command of the gun- great deal more about the

The Club and R.G.A. second Netto, the President of the Club, the work. be presented him and souvenirs the Portuguese community

The inscription on the found-honour. In the afternoonation stone is:-"1866-1920. Algarden party is being held at the pedra fundamental d'este novo Club de Recreio. edificio de Club Lusitano foi colocada em 17 de Dezembre de 1920 per Sus Excelencia al Governador de Macan, Sanhor

DESCRIPTION OF BUILDING.

the following will represent Kow- The new building, which will tically arranged in the shape of a thousand of which have already loon against South China Athletic have imposing frontages on Ice huge six-pointed star, in the been fixed, besides those on the C. H. Yeoh. (Res.) on South China ground, House Street and Duddell Street, centre of which is a tall mast, trees and on the ground. The kick-off at 4 p.m.:—H. McKsy; will be constructed internally of surrounded by beautiful palms large floor will be reserved for S. Hawer, K. Mason; A. Spary, re-inforced concrete throughout, dotted with little lights. The dancing and the Band of the 2nd H. Roberts, A. Martin; G. Jack, the external walls being of Canton outline of the star is picked out Battalion, Wiltshire Regiment, the University in the above The Senior Division of the A. Young, A. Palmer, A. Estorffe, brick, plaster faced with decora- by coloured bulbs, and strings of will attend, by kind permission match to be played on the I.K.C. tive mouldings. On the Duddell lights run from each point to the of Lieut-Colonel Wyndham and ground on Saturday, 18th. inst., The following will represent Street side the building will be top of the mast, from which is Officers. His Excellency the at 2.15 p.m. sharp - W. J. to meet H. E. the Governor of the United against St. Joseph's:- four stories high, whilst on the flown the Union Jack. The name Governor and Lady Stubbs will, Hinton (Capt.), R. H. Lim, Macao, 5 p.m. W. Mcleod; J. Beach. C. H. Blake; Ice House Street side three stories of the Club appears prominently we understand, be present, and T. S. Khoo, D. Remedios, M. B. Coronet Theatre-5.15, and 9.15. In the Junior Division, the best A. E. Simmons, D. Laing, D. D. will be presented, this being due on the roof of the pavilion, in the the Committee are making Osman, E. K. Ch'ng, T. O. Yeow, p.m. match is expected on the Navy Urqubart; J. Kent, P. Brown, G. to the differing levels of the two middle of which is the Portuguese larrangements for a larrangements for a larrangement of the Hong B. C. T. C. H. Brown, G. to the differing levels of the two middle of which is the Portuguese larrangements for a larrangements for a larrangement of the larrangements of the larrangements for a larrangement of the larrangement of the larrangement of the larrangements for a larrangement of the larrangement of Bir around whose the Olers While print decreased Colleges were recovered by the state of the being of grace and recolleges

LUSITANO CLUB, designed for occupation by a Bank and it is thought that the Ultra-Marina Bank, of Macao, Hongkong will open office here. The height of the banking premises from floor to ceiling would be about 18.6, and

The entrance to the Club will Street and it is, therefore, most be from Ice House Street, and on fitting that the stone-laying the ground floor accommodation ceremony of the new Club now provides for a vestibule, entrance being erected in Ice House Street hall, grand staircase, one large should have coincided with that billiard room (33'6" x 270"), one interesting event. The old Club small billiard room (27'0' x 17'0") has certainly served its purpose reading room (270 x 160% bar well, but of recent years it has (33.6" x 17.0"), Secretary's Office, been found inadequate and will servants' rooms, lavatories, etc. soon be replaced by a building of The accommodation on the first which the Colony in general and floor comprises dining hall (350° the Portuguese community in x 270% library (346° x 270°)

retiring or tearcom (180° x 150°) card room (34'6" x 19'0"), servants rooms, etc. A wide verandah has this morning of the Macao also been provided. Between the first and second floors a Mezzanine floor will be built, in which will be housed the kitchen, pantry and additional servants' accommodation. On the second floor a spacious ball room has been provided, at one end of which will be a stage (200° x 180°) with ladles' and gents' retiring rooms on each side. Ladies' cloak and On arrival in the harbour, a dressing rooms have been provided and also closk rooms for gentlemen. The size of the ball

room will be 5°0' x 27'0' giving a floor area of 1,586 square feet for dancing. The verandah along the whole front of the ball room His Excellency Sir Reginald will give added accommodation. The ball room will have a coved board and brought the distin- coiling, richly panelled and guished visitors ashore to Govern- moulded throughout, and the floor ment House, where they will will be specially designed and constay during their visit to this structed for dancing. The grand staircase of the building will be The Governor of Macao is the of fire-proof construction, encased. wrought iron balustrading. All Lieutenant in the Portuguese internal walls and cedings will be | Valley. Navy he received the decoration finished in plaster 75th enrichof Torree Spulu, given for great ments and panellings, whilst the

had several encounters with Club the Colony will have and the Ice House Street and Duddell H. Holdman. meet the Carlisi. Reserves, enemy submarines and success- other building of which it may be Street frontages of the new Both sides won their matches last fully convoyed and saved several proud. The area of the site is Lusitano Club: a group of the week, but it is experied that the British ships, for which service approximately 5,500 square feet Catholic Union Club's billiard he received the Distinguished and the height of the building team; as well as some interesting Civil Service on their ground at 2.15 one of his younger brothers, but Order from the British Govern- will be about 75 feet. The build- photographs taken at Vladivostok. p.m. to-morrow.—G. R. Sayer he summoned, instead, this dead ing was originally designed by This afternoon's ceremony, the late Mr. F. Endell Rosser. on the S.C.A. ground, where the which is due to begin at four Architect, M.S.A., and the neces- A slight earthquake shock was Rome, W. Chipchase, E. B. Reed, summons, and I rether want a 2nd teams of the S.C.A. and Kow- o'clock, will be attended by H. E. sary working drawings and details felt in the Colony at about 11.30 E. W. Hamilton, A. R. Sutherland, reconciliation before Christmas. to improve on last week's play if loon meet, and the latter should the Governor of Macao and H.E. have been prepared by Mr. A. G. this morning. It only lasted a E. Fincher, W. H. Edmonds. the Governor of Hongkong, the Hewlitt, Lic.R.I.B.A., who has very brief time, though one or two former of whom will perform the been appointed by the Committeen clerks working in St. George's

those present and the document. At the conclusion of the selecting them for to-morrow's together with old coins, stamps ceremony, the company will adgames. The soldiers will be out to and newsapers, will be de- journ to the Hongkong Hotel. maintain their present position in posited in a specially carved where a reception will be held hollow under the stone, which the and tea served. This evening, Governor of Macao will proceed H. E. the Governor is entertainto "well and truly lay." An ing the distinguished visitors from inscribed trowel and mallet will Macao to dinner, and to-morrow will also be presented to Lady Hongkong is giving a luncheon Stubbs and Lady Correa da Silva. at the Hongkong Hotel in their

TO-MORROW'S GARDEN PARTY.

The following represent Kowloon Henrique Monteiro Correa da is being gaily decorated for the officers are studying naval Football Club in the 1st Div. Silva Capitao tenente de Marinha, garden party at 5 p.m. to-morrow. architecture and engineering, and League engagement on Saturday. Cavaleiro da Ordem da Torre e The entire ground has been en a new step recently taken has on the Navy "A" ground, kick off Espada. Cruz de Guerra de la closed by bamboo trellis work been the attaching of Japanese at 4 p.m. :-W. Crocker; F. classe, D.S.O., com a comparencia with wide arches two yards apart. military officers to English regi-Wheeler, T. Knight; J. Coupland, de Sua Excellencia o Governador Each arch is covered with a flag ments. A. Weyman, P. R. Beesley; W. de Hongkonz Sir Reginald and the whole fence will be illuminated from one end to the other. On the lawn, hundreds of [pot plants of all sizes are artis- covered with lights, over a

LOCAL BOXING DISPUTE.

Army Officers Support Naval Objection.

publication the following letter in day. She succeeded in changing Chinese were killed and six

support their views. tests are much more worth bed from her. the professional shows.

large number of professional con- and the class lightweights.

DAY BY DAY.

A Rugby football match; Army in polithed teak, with handsome | v. Navy, will be played next Monday at 4.15 p.m. at Happy

> Although it was thought that Sir Paul Chater would be returning by the s.s. Andre Lebon, he did not arrive by that boat, as we stated yesterday. He is, however, expected on the Paul Lecat, about the 23rd inst.

To-morrow's Pictorial Supple-

ceremony. Mr. A. F. B. Silva- of the Lusitano Club to carry out Building are reported to have run into the street, fearing that worse

BRITISH E UCATION FOR JAPANESE. ..

arrived in Britain, largely owing Radford, L. J. Davies. to the selection of this country instead of Germany and Austria. as was the case before the war. recently visited Ireland, in S. A. R. Ismail, N. M. Bux and p.m. order to study the police D. Rumjahn. The Club de Recreio, Kowloon, methods there. Over 100 Japanese

ROBBED A GIRL

Thief Sent to Gaol.

For the purpose of changing a

officer we have received for a money changer's shop yester. East, as a result of which five regard to the local boxing \$6, but on her return home fell in others injured. with a thief, who compelled her With reference to your Notes to surrender the coins to him. Coroner and the following and Comments on December When informed of this, her jury was empanelled :- Messre 14th, on the boxing dispute, you people set out in search Archibald Stalker, E. M. da state that Naval Officers are the of the thief, and overtook Rocha and J. M. de Jeans Lopes. stumbling block. It would be as him some minutes later. The well to record that Army officers paper in which these coppers case in the interests of the owner. were wrapped in rows, peeped The object of the Imperial from under his jacket, and this Services Boxing Association is gave away his identity. He to encourage and improve box. immediately dropped the coins. ing in the Imperial Services, which burst from their wrappings rather by inducing large numbers and rolled out in all directions. to enter for competitions than by A number of kind people stooped specializing with individuals." to collect the coins, with the ap-The large purse encourages the parently laudable object of returnprofessional" and gladiatorial ing them to the owner, but when shows, with betting included. If the prisoner's capwas passed round you want to see clean, straight. for the money, a number of these forward boxing, go to the Annual kind persons, it appears, forgot appear to exist in the case of Services Competition at Alder- to do so, with the result that the three Chinese, the eldest of whom. shot. Officers and men box girl only got a certain proportion at the Police Court to-day, sumthere for trophies, and the con- of the money the thief had grab- moned his younger brothers

thief before Mr. N. L. Smith, at ful purpose was expended in I may say that I have seen a the Police Court this morning, legal advice, and as the result, Mr. tests, including Jack Johnson, man was in possession of a day appeared before the Magis-Bombardier Wells and many of knife which had not been shown trate and announced that they to the girl but which remained were acting on behalf of the comconcealed on his person until it plainant and the defendants recoins.

> recorded against the prisoner, ing humorous conversation took and sentence of nine months place:hard labour was duly passed.

CRICKET.

Craigengower v. Staffs.

Craigengower in their League Christmas, because one of the fixture with the Staffe on the former's ground to-morrow.-L. is dead. Lammert (Captain), B. Bradbury. W. Grimmett, F. G. Thompson, boat Ivo and saw four years of building, but enough has + been ment will contain photographs of J. Bryant, R. Basa, C. Anderson, active service, during which he said to show that in this new the architects drawings showing Dr. Asger, P. Lamble, S. Jex and strike out the name of

CIVIL SERVICE V. R. G. A.

(Captain), R. E. O. Bird, R. C. man. I draw attention to this in

CLUB v. R. E. & I. A.

Hongkong Club versus R. E. men. and Indian Army to-morrow. An adjournment was granted 18th December, at 2 p.m. on the by his Worship, the hearing being Hongkoog Club ground .- W. C. fixed to take place on Thursday D. Turner (Capt.), T. E. Pearce, next. R. L. D. Wodehouse, Lt. Franks, F. H. Farthing, L. D. McNicoll, An unprecedented number of W. H. Madden, W. H. Drum-Japanese, visitors have lately mond, F. H. Pentycross, L. A.

K.C.C. V. L.R.C.

In the above match, to be for the study of Western methods, played on Saturday the 18th. and also on account of the more inst., at 2.15 p.m. on the Kowloon satisfactory facilities afforded ground, the following will repre-perature:-69. Humidity:-73 them. The bulk of these Japanese sent the Indians: A. H. Rumare at London University, jahn, S. H. Ismail, M. H. Abbas. though several are at Edin- A. A. Rumjahn, S. A. Ismail, D. burgh. A delegation of Japanese Weerapuli, S. D. Ismail, K. Khan,

UNIVERSITY V. C.R.C.

The following will represent the University in the above match to beplayed on the University ground on Saturday, 18th. inst., at 215 p.m. sharp.—D. K. Samy (Capt.). T. E. Yeoh, J. H. R. Freebonn, stone laying ceremony, by H. E. M. H. Roffey, R. Robertson, K.E. the Governor of Macao. 4 p.m. Mogra, H.C. Hunt, R.W. Barney. T. L. Cheah, K. S. Cheah and Comedy Co. present "Eliza Comes

UNIVERSITY 2ND v. LR.C. 2ND.

The following will represent

HOUSE COLLAPSE.

Enquiry Opens To-day.

An engiry was held at the ten-dollar bill into one-cent magistracy this afternoon into the pieces, a Chinese girl was circumstances of the recent house From a well-known Army engaged by her parents to go to collapse at No. 114, Queen's Road

> Mr. G. Mr. M. H. Turner watched the The enquiry is proceeding.

BROTHERS AT VARIANCE.

Dead Man Summoned!

Brotherly affection does not for assault. Money that might watching than the majority of Inspector Cayrill charged the have been devoted to a more usementioned that the E.J. Grist and Mr. M. K. Lo todropped out together with the spectively. Arising from a mistake made in the naming of the A previous conviction was defendants in the case, the follow-

> Mr. Lo:-Will your Worship allow an adjournment? The parties, it is hoped, will become reconciled with Christmas coming. Mr. Grist :- That is the thea in

my mind in also asking for an_ adjournment Mr. Lo:-Unless the School of Psychical Research to be true, the parties . The following will represent cannot be reconciled this

> l parties named in the summons The Magistrate:-Can we I remedy that now?

the man who is out of your jurisdiction. He has been dead for some years. I think The following will represent complainant wanted to summon

Mr. Grist:-Apparently the dead man has not been served with the summons. I take it that The following will represent the Mr. Lo is appearing for the living

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE. The closing rate of the dollar on

demand. to-day was 3s./1 3/16d. THE WEATHER.

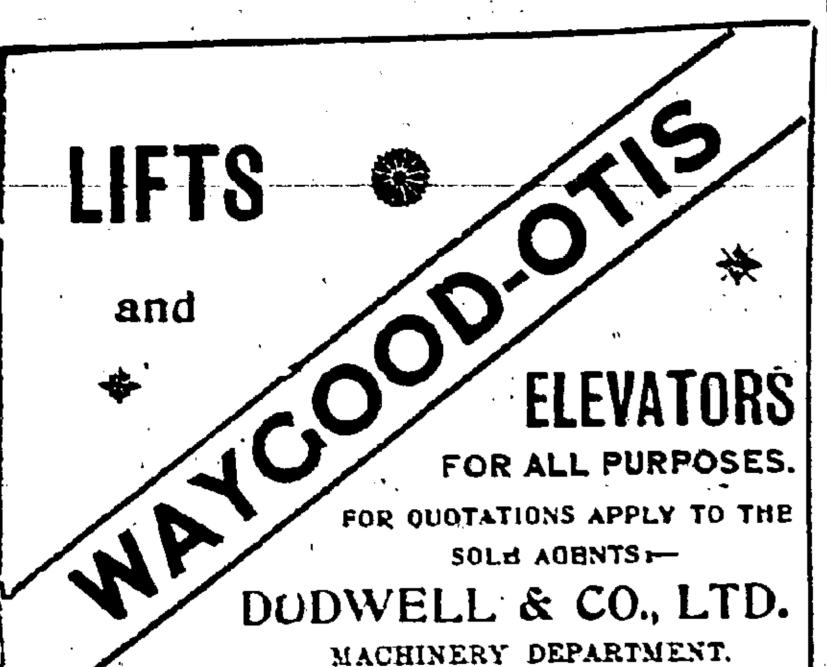
2 p.m. Barometer: -30.03. Tem-

LIGHTING-UP TIME.

Lighting-up time to-day is 5.42

New Lusitano Club Foundation-Theatre Royal --- Warwick to Stay "-9.15 p.m. Coronet Theatre-5.15 and 9.15

Hongkong Theatre-5.15, 7.15 and 9.15 p.m.



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GENERAL NEWS.

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larly noticeable at Messrs.

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EARLIER SPECIAL TELEGRAMS.

(From Our Own Correspondents.)

BOLSHEVIK CRIME.

Shanghai, Dec. 100 The P. and O. s.s. Devanha has 'sailed with two plain wooden caskets, one containing the remains of the Grand Duchess Elizabeth, who, with five other Romanoffs, was murdered by Holsheviki near Ferm, and the other the remains of a Greek Catholic convent sister who" perished with her Superior. the Abbess of this convent. The caused by the forces of the Crown. caskets were brought across Siberia

are buried in Peking. held a simple service in the godown. The bodies are on resite in derusalem, their final resting place, through the courtesy of the British Government.

SHANGHAI SHOOTING AFFAIR.

Shanghai, Dec. 16. Mr R F. Hazelton, head of th Order Department of Messrs Gaston, Williams and Wigmore, who was shot in the abdomen in a low-class har in the "Trench-is" life and death

disorderly.

orderly. The trial of Furbush is fairly and fearlessly. fixed for 28th inst.

The U.S. Commissioner recomdo license.

Shanghai, Dec. 16. days in the Trenches "

VENEREAL DISEASE.

Shanghal, Dec. 16. British National Council for combatting venereal disease- opened with a public meeting yesterday afternoon.

Educational and Medical Conferences are being held this afternoon.

THE BOULON CASE.

Shanghai, Dec. 15.

The China Industrial Develop- at present imprisoned in Dublin. ment Bank has been opened, with three million taels deposits.

NEW CHINESE BANK.

Shanghai, Dec. 16. The briefs in the Boulon case have been filed and the decision will probably be given late next

MURDER PUZZLE.

The Principal.

A knotty point in criminal law will shortly come before the Canadian Cabinet. It involves the curious question how far an accomplice in a murder case can be regarded as guilty of murder when the principal (who fired the fatal shot) has been found guilty of manslaughter only.

The case originated in Quebec. Romeo Remillard, incited by his father, shot a man named Morrissette, who had called at the Remillards house for an address. Morrissette had been mistaken by

Both father and son were put An Army Order has been issued on trial, but before separate juries. by the Commander-in-Chief in In the case of the father, a ver-India stating that he has record- dict of murder was returned, and ed with regret the serious cases he was sentenced to death. The of indiscipline which occurred son, however, was found guilty of among the Connaught Rangers manslaughter only.

The father was to have been 69 non-commissioned officers and hanged on October 22, but the men were tried for mutiny. Of courts have granted a respite unfourteen sentenced to death, one til February 25. Efforts were private was shot and the sen- made to secure a new trial on the tences of the other thirteen were ground that the accomplice cancommuted to penal servitude or not be guilty of a more serious less penalties; 47 others were crime than the principal. A new sentenced to various terms of trial however, was refused.

discharged from the army with so far as the courts are concerned, it will probably be commuted .- demands.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

IRISH DEBATE IN THE COMMONS.

London, Dec. 14.

The Bishop of Cork's excommunication order has caused a sensation among the extremists: At a meeting of the Municipal Council the Sinn Feiners denounced the Bishop's action.

battalions owing to martial law being proclaimed. In the House of Commons Com. Kenworthy moved the adjournment and demanded an impartial inquiry into the occurrences at Cork.

It is announced that the Irish garrison is being increased to ten

Mr. Adamson supported him. Sir Hamar Greenwood declared that loss of life was more important than loss of buildings. Only one woman looter lost her life The Grand Duchess had long been through the fires. He repudiated the suggestion that the fires were

Sir Hamar Greenwood read a telegram sent to Com. Kenworthy to Peking, where they have been from the Lord Mayor of Cork and the Sinn Fein, M.Ps. Walsh and since August. All but these two Roche, alleging that during the week Cork men and women were held up in the streets and robbed and unoffending citizens publicly whipped On Sunday the local Bussians and shot, and, it was believed, some burnt alive in their houses. "V

demand the immediate withdrawal of the Army of Occupation." Sir Hamar Greenwood said that General Strickland started an inquiry to-day. He would telegraph General Strickland to call the Lord Mayor of Cork and Messrs Walsh and Roche, and as their names had been quoted in the House, "they shall turn up." They would have safe conduct. Not one of the three had ever condemned the murders of police and soldiers. Proceeding, he declared that these murders prevented the peoples of England and Ireland from coming to a peaceful settlement. The suggested inquiry by Lords Cave and Buckmaster and the Deputy Speaker of the House of Commons was impossible. The only person who could hold an impartial inquiry was God. He was doing so.

Dealing with the argument that we should endeavour to stand the cloakroom of the "El Dorado," well in the opinion of the world, Sir Hamar Greenwood declared that the only part of the world that counted in this difficult period was district, is still havering between the part which wished us well. He had yet to see any comment. official or unofficial, from any civilised country condemning the The Court is trying Francis British Government. On the other hand he had seen many com-Quinn, one of the two Americans munications wishing us well in one of the most difficult tasks that implicated, this afternoon on a ever faced a Government, namely suppressing a conspiracy which charge of being drunk and during the war grew strong and powerful and which, could not be wiped out in a single minute. He thought we held our position in Later. the esteem of the world as strongly as ever and he could not imagine Quinn was fined \$50 and sen-anything more contemptible than to yield at all costs to the gangs tenced to thirty days' imprison- of assassins who by murder and arson had endeavoured to intimidate ment for being drunk and dis- the country into surrender. We were dealing with this conspiracy

Sir Hamar Greenwood repeated that there was no policy of reprisals. He read documents to show that he himself. Sir N. Mc mends revocation of the El Dora-Ready and other heads had done their best to stop anything of that kind. He maintained that it was unfair to attribute every burning to the gallant men who showed such splendid restraint against almost SHANGHAI YOUTH'S FALL intolerable provocation. The forces of the Crown saved Cork from absolute destruction. When the Fire Brigade was exhausted police Thomas Edward Mellows, son of and military took over the work and did not spare their efforts to ging his father's name. He refused automatically was to uproof the cause. He was glad to say that the of the ancient capital and monarchy being, engulfed in barbarism, to give. Magistrate King an excuss, percentage of people responsible for the crimes of violence was but there must be a limit to Britain's responsibilities, (Cheers). whereupon a detective gave with decreasing. He welcomed the sermon of the Bishop of Cork, condemn- Mr. Churchill said that if we faced the situation and coolly ence that prome had spent assembling the atthcks on the forces of the Crown. He was hopeful that and firmly pursued a policy of contracting commitments and establishhundred and tity dellars in four before long we would open a happier chapter for good between the ing a congenial local government, it would relieve us of this burden peoples of Ireland and Britain.

London, Dec. 15.

The Premier, writing to Father O'Flannagan, says: I sincerely trus The Hastern Commission of the policy of those adhering to violence will finally be abandoned, and the which are producing the present hideous and unchristian strife and so pave the way for the frank and peaceful discussions with the could dismiss the Government by refusing to vote the additional elected representatives of the Irish people, which are essential to a As: and reasonable settlement.

reply to the latter's requesting facilities to communicate with De Valera, at present in America, and Griffith, President of the Republic, payer. It would be most imprudent to allow the impression to get

The Premier replied to Father O'Flannagan that facilities will out of weakness. be afforded him for seeing Griffith, while as regards De Valera the ordinary methods of communication with America are fully open to Father O'Flannagan

CHINA FAMINE RELIEF.

London, Dec. 14.

The organisation of a national appeal for aid for the Chinese famine sufferers is progressing. The Lord Mayor presides at a meeting at the Mansion House on Thursday. The speakers will include Accomplice More Guilty Than Sir John Jordan, Sir Charles Addis and ex-Minister Sze, while the organisation throughout the country will be superintended by Mr. Donovan, ex-Postmaster at Shanghai. The movement is warmly supported. The Foreign Office has announced that the Chinese Diplomatic and Consular staffs in Britain are contributing twenty per cent. of their salaries for three months.

CHINESE STUDENTS FOR BRITAIN.

London, Dec. 14.

The "Daily Mail" in a leader urges action with regard to training Chinese students in Great Britain to avoid the decline of our trade in China, especially in view of the activities of France, America and the elder Remillard for someone Japan. It points out the significance of Japan's remitting a portion of the Boxer Indemnity for the establishment of an engineering school in China staffed by Japanese, and the fact that the Chinese Minister Dr. Sze, graduated at Cornell, while Dr. Wellington Koo graduated at

· ANGLO-RUSSIAN TRADE TREATY.

London, Dec. 14. The "Daily Chronicle" states that M. Krassin has submitted to the Government the Russian amendments to the trade treaty, which aim at the elimination of the clause regarding Bolshevik propagands and the removal of the stipulation regarding recognition of private debts with Russia. They also demand British legislation safeguarding Russian gold from attachment by private persons seeking to reimprisonment, and eight were. If the capital sentence stands cover money due from Russia. The "Chronicle" adds that negotiations have taken a most unfavourable turn in view of the above

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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

MESOPOTAMIAN DEBATE.

London, Dec. 15. In the House of Commons, on the Army supplementary estimate, Chief Inspector Meliows of the check the flames. There was no evidence that any of these forces Mr. Churchill announced that General Ironsides' force at Kasvin, River Police, has been sentenced caused a single fire in the great conflagration in the centre of the which was practically the sole protection of North-west Persia and to three months' imprisonment by city. All' the disasters, whether burnings or murderings, were the Teheran, would be withdrawn in the spring. Meanwhile we were the British Court for obtaining borrible but logical consequences of the Sinn Fein extremist trying to arouse the Persian Government to a sense of its responsibility money by false pretences and for conspiracy to smash the Empire. The way to prevent the consequences for self-protection. It was melancholy to contemplate the possibility

> and enable the great natural riches of the country to be developed to the advantage of the Empire and the whole world.

Mr. Churchill reviewed the history of the position in Mesopotathe activities of all men will be for peace and goodwill and that the mia, drawing attention to the Government's efforts to reduce the commitments hung up by the rebellion. He eulogised General Haldane's people of Ireland be free to return to constitutional methods, whereby wisdom and capacity and his success in breaking up the rebellion. alone their reasonable aspirations can be attained. I heartily join We were only now emerging from a campaign wherein we were fight. with you in hoping the season of Christmas will allay the passions ing for our lives. We had begun to resume reduction of the garrison.

Mr. Churchill declared it was useless getting excited. The House nine millions for Mesopotamia, but the dismissal would not after the difficulties nor reduce the expenditure, for complete evacuation would Mr., Lloyd George's message to Father O'Flannagan was in involve us in heavy fighting. "It we scuttled out the country would be ruined, and heavier expense would be imposed on the British taxabroad that we were going to be downcast over our responsibilities

> General Townsend, in his maiden speech, declared that it was a mistake to occupy the whole of Mesopotamia. There was no reason, strategically or politically, why a single soldier should be kept in Mesopotamia. We should simply hold the province of Basra. That was the solution of the Mesopotamian question. Mr. Churchill Had said the forces had been reduced to seventy thousand. He (General Townsend) declared that seventy thousand troops in the East were sufficient to conquer half of Asia. If he had had them only the Black Sea would he stopped him. As regards the potentialities of the country he said that if we put millions into the country as we had done in Egypt then in fifteen or twenty years it would begin to pay.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

Geneva, Dec. 14. The German note to the League on the subject of the Eupen-Malmedy question declines to agree to the Council's decision thereanent and suggests intimidation in the plebiscite, which it therefore asks be declared invalid and a fresh plebiscite taken.

The Assembly unanimously adopted a resolution dealing with the constitution of an International Court of Justice, with the provision that it be submitted to the different Governments for ratification, whereafter the Court will be called upon to decide disputes arising between the States.

Geneva, Dec. 15.

The Council of the League of Nations has approved of the protocol voted by the Assembly, establishing a permanent Court of Justice. The protocol includes a clause, whereby the signatories may, declare the jurisdiction of the Court immediately compulsory on certain legal questions. The Council also adopted a report establishing an International Commission to institute a scheme of international credits to allow impoverished nations to produce necessary resources.

In the course of the discussion Dr. Wellington Koo, supporting: the adoption of the report, said he entirely agreed with the idea of compulsory jurisdiction, which would extend the supremacy of justice to the whole family of nations.

VICTORIAN COALMINERS' DEMANDS.

Melbourne, Dec. 14. The State coalminers have presented to the Victorian Government a new schedule of conditions of work.

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COMMERCIAL NEWS.

SHANGHAI SHARE MARKET. Mosers. A. L. Anderson & Co.'s Weekly Share Circular, under data Shanghai, 27th November, states:-No improvement in business on the local exchange has taken place nor do prospects promise any immediate improvement. A few Cottons have recorded, Rubbers form no vehicle

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the price to \$700 with further final return of Tls. 3.14 declared payable on 30th instant. Kota Bahroes.—The annual meeting is summoned for 10th proximo: the profit for the year ended 30th June last is shown as Tls. 52.084.-95 which added to the sum of Tls. 27,896.25 permits of Tls. 9.-022.97 being written off from various accounts and TI+, 70,958-24 being carried forward. The Directors give notice that they Act. will seek at this meeting an expression of opinion as to the desirability of reconstructing the company as of a

capital of Tls. 390,000 with the conversion of each present share into three of a nominal value of a nominal value of Taels One each. The contemplated sale o a second piece of land, as mentioned in our Circular of 23rd October, has not yet been effected. 'All in" cost of production is shown as 14.7 and the average gross selling price as 2081. Miscellaneous -Trams "B" are wanted at 62 Gas improved to a buying quotation of 17. Telephones are steady at 78. Shanghai Waterworks Co. The £1. Chinese torpedo tubes. marketed at Reorganization Loan.-British issue steady at 67. French issue

sold in Paris at the reduced price of Fes 650 per £30 bond in London

TRADE WITH BULGARIA. The Bulgarian Prime Minister. don Chamber of Commerce recently, and was welcomed by Sir James Martin, Chairman of the Council, who presided. M. Stambolisky said that the aimof his Government were to be on good terms with neighbouring States, to create friendly bonds with the Entente Powers, to consolidate the country's internal condition, and to improve the economic and financial condition. His Government realised the great nesessity for improved agricultural production, the development of railways, and the fostering of young industries. For these purposes foreign capital was essential, and Bulgaria looked particularly to England. mission was to enable commerce garia to be developed. He ap- Suous. pealed to British finance and British commerce to come to Bulgaria, where they would find a ready market for goods and a wide field for enterprise. - He was about to visit the industrial centres of Great Britain and expected from the tour results of mutual advantages to the two countries.

GENERAL" NEWS.

Vandalism" at mansion house What was described as "vandaism at the Mansion House" was referred to a meeting of the Court of Common Council. Certain parts of the stonework had been covered with paint, in some places a vivid green. The matter was referred to committee.

SIXTEENTH CENTURY LAW. Ada Grant, the wife of David Grant, station owner, sued the proprietor of the Esplanade Hotel, Perth (W.A.), to recover £1065, the value of jewellery stolen from her bedroom at the hotel during her absencer The Chief Justice said the law dated back to the 16th century, and an innkeeper was liable for the loss of goods belonging to travellers, whether or not that loss was due to the carelessness on his part, or on that of his servants. The jury said, the carelessness of Mrs. Grant conduced to the loss, and gave a verdict for the defendant. have to be found for the damaged grain.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

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THE EX-GERMAN CABLES.

Washington, December 14. The Communications Conference ends, in a virtual deadlock unless agreement is reached at the last moment. Otherwise the changed bands at somewhat delegates will return home without agreeing on any really important lower quotations than those last point in connection with the ex-German cables.

Mr. Spurling, the chief British delegate to the Communications for business since buyers Conference, sails for home to-day. The British viewpoint, including are only in the market at the willingness to give up the Halifax-Penzance cable in exchange bargain prices which holders are for an American cable landing in Canada, has been recognised by unwilling to accept, and General the State Department as reasonable and satisfactory, though it is Securities are being held for higher understood the latter would have wished Britain to offer her advice trices in the hope that the fall in to France and Italy to modify their standpoints in order to reach exchange will render money agreement on the lines desired by the United States. The American more plentiful. Debentures. delegates throughout adopted a most decided tone, to which the other The following transactions were Powers were unwilling to accede, particularly Japan, who was effected, S.M.C. 6', (1908) at 85; adament in refusing to consider nationalisation of Yap Island.

While the Communications Conference achieved nothing with 7. (1919) and (1920) at 92. regard to the future disposition of the German cables, a modus Hongkong and Shanghai Bank. vivendi was reached whereby the present handling of the cables will The lower exchange improved continue till 15th. March. Meanwhile deliberations will be continued by the Ambassadors of the participating countries, while the per after much persuasion, but France has so far refused to assent. If share making 116.28 per cent. in no agreement is reached by 15th. March. "the Powers reserve to all. Moutrie & Co., Ltd .- An themselves all rights of action." This probably only means that the interim dividend of \$2.50 has been whole question will be threshed out at a plenary conference.

AMERICAN WARTIME LAWS.

Washington, Dec. 14. The House of Representatives unanimously passed a resolution for repealing most of the wartime statutes, including the Food Control

EUROPE'S STARVING CHILDREN.

Washington, Dec. 14. President Wilson has appealed to Americans to contribute towards the relief of the starving children of Central Europe. He announced will adopt twenty children as his own temporary wards.

THE U.S. NAVY.

Washington, Dec. 14. The first scout-cruiser, the Omaha, for the American Navy, has been launched at Tanoma. She is of 7,500 tons, and has a speed of nearly 34 knots. Her armament includes twelve six-inch guns and two

RELIEF FOR U.S. FARMERS.

Washington, Dec. 14. The Senate has passed a resolution directing the revival of the M. Stambolisky, visited the Lon- | War Finance Corporation in order to relieve the farmers.

NEW WRESTLING CHAMPION.

New York, Dec. 14. E. D. Lewis has won the world's catch-as-catch-can wrestling championship, throwing Joe Stecher with a head and hip lock after + two hours, 21 minutes and 56 seconds.

HOLLAND AND JUGU-SLOVAKIA.

The Hague, Dec. 14. Diplomatic relations between the Dutch and Jugo-Slav Governments have been broken off owing to differences over the treatment of the Dutch Consul at Belgrade. The Dutch Government has recalled the Dutch Minister at Eelgrade, while the Serbian Charge between Great Britain and Bul- d'Affaires at the Hague has been informed that his presence is super-

The "Times" says that the Dutch Consul at Belgrade is of Austrian nationality and was interned during the war on a charge of espionage. It appears he has been very friendly with the Bulgarians.

INDO-CHINA'S FUTURE.

Marseilles, Dec. 14. M. Long. Governor of Indo-China, has arrived. Interviewed, he said the Government's bold policy was bearing fruit in Indo-China and was not costing France a single centime. He urged commercial expansion and emphasised that the natives' purchasing power was increasing. The country was perfectly orderly.

CONSTANTINE'S RETURN.

Lucerné, Dec. 14. King Constantine and family left by ordinary train for Venice en route to Greece.

QUEENSLAND STEAMERS FOR SALE.

Brisbane, Dec. 14. In pursuance of the policy of retrenchment the Government i selling a number of State steamers.

AUSTRALIAN WHEAT CROP DAMAGED.

Sydney, Dec. 14. The Minister for Agriculture estimates that \$5,000,000 damage was done by the storms to the wheatfields. An overseas market will

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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

DOCTORING EXCHANGE.

London, Dec. 14. Mr. Lloyd George has instituted inquiries among representative business men in the hope of discovering practical means for the establishment of a system of bartering between Britain and foreign countries where exchange has broken down. The Government is opposed to artifical methods of adjusting exchange, considering that if European commodities can be brought to Britain by barter. caravanning or small peddling, exchanges will eventually right themselves.

INDIAN COALFIELD STRIKE.

London, Dec. 15. In the House of Commons, replying to Sir John Rees, Mr. Montagu stated that he had received information that a general strike, said to be of political origin, was threatened in the coalfields of India. The Government of India was dealing with the situation.

BAD AEROPLANE CRASH.

London. Dec. 14. A Handley Page Paris to London aeroplane crashed at Cricklewood. It fouled a tree while leaving. The serodrome burst into fismes. It is reported that the pilot and mechanic and two passengers were killed and six passengers injured.

AN OLD COUNTRY CHRISTMAS.

London, Dec. 14. Almost record cold prevails in England. Thirty-three degrees of frost were registered in Northamptonshire and sixteen in London. Skating si proceeding on the Thames Valley ponds. There are heavy mowstorms everywhere. Winter sports are general.

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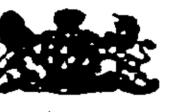
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THE INDIAN CONGRESS.

A Criticism of the Proposed New Constitution.

The report of the sub-committee, consisting of Mr. Gandhi, Mr. Aiyangar, Mr. Vithalbhoy Patel and Mr. N. C. Kelkar, on the draft constitution of the Congress has been published for public comment and criticism, and a writer in the Advecte of India proceeds to criticise it the following:-The sub-committee was ap-

pointed for the purpose of revising the present constitution and recommending such changes as may be consisten; with the present national spirit. This much should be acknowledged at the outset that the said committee, downs of the Hongkong and Kow- with more authority, dignity and nections with its rulers at once.

THE PROPOSED CHANGE. The proposed creed-of the Congress now runs thus. Article I The object of the Indian National Congress is the attainment of Swarajya by the people of India: means." This is, however, a fundamental change suggested by the sub-committee. The above-mentioned object does not state anything with regard to the retention of the British connection. Complete severance from Britain has never been until now, suggested, nor even contemplated discerned from the existing The support of the great majority. of Indians hitherto to the political agitations, and the sympathy of a section of the British Gandhi's doctrine are in a hurry public itself have been acquired to obtain "Swarajya" by hook or nection with the British Empire obtain their object by any con-"BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS. I do not exactly know how many stitutional method. In short, Indians, after having carefully they want to bring the Government considered the said object of the Congress, will be willing to sever their connection with the British Raj. But if Indians come forward and say that for the attainment of "Swarajya," the British connection is not at all needed, informed that all Goods are being then, any thoughtful politician might question as to whether in order to achieve his fundit will be possible for them to amental object, has particularly reach the goal of "Swarajya" in instructed his friends to change the course of even fifty years. Article I of the old constitution' Dadabhoy Nowroji had wisely of the Indian National Congress. used the word "Swarajya" in I have every reason to believe his presidential address in 1906 that Mr. Gandhi must have and it must not be construed that advised his friends to do so; for, to advise his countrymen to sever ing Article of the Congress? Raj-he emphasised the neces- stitution of the Congress that All claims against the steamer sity of strengthening and advanc- requires any immediate change. ing the political progress of the It is very doubtful whether every country, while remaining in the Nationalist will abide by the Empire. In the present case the proposed change in the Congress word "Swarajya" signifies some-Icroed, this can be very easily thing other than the self-govern- discerned from some opinions ment which has been the goal of expressed, up to now by the Indians for the last 35 years and Nationalist Press in this country, more. It must be said that it is on the Committee's report. the propensity of the followers of If the Congress, under the the proposed Congress creed to I direct influence of some political have complete independence in hot heads and hasty idealists, their own country: No doubt, adopts revolution as its creed, it this question is indisputable; but is may. But here is the question of come forward and say that there Sun and Stars Association, there any Indian soul, I ask, 'might is right.' Whoever is willing to enjoy complete free-strong shall be free. Is the Bridom to-morrow without the tish Government, with all its

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toon Wharf and Godown Com- responsibility." One does not In the year 1908, the object of pany, Ltd., at Kowloon, whence, exactly comprehend how far the the Indian National Congress was and or from the wharves delivery above statement holds good; for, stated to be the attainment may be obtained. . Article I of the proposed con- by the people of India Optional Cargo will be forward- stitution itself succinctly shows of a system of government ed unless notice to the contrary that the new creed of the Con- similar to that enjoyed by gress is nothing but a sort of sub- the self-governing members of the No claims will be admitted after version of the fundamental object British, Empire and the participathe Goods have left the Godowns, of the Indian National Congress, tion by them in the rights and responsibilities of the Empire on equal terms with those members. This object was to be achieved by constitutional means by bringing about a steady reform of the. existing system of administration and by promoting national unity, by all legitimate and peaceful fostering public spirit and developing and organising the intellectual, moral, economic, and BORNEO industrial resources of the coun-

try. Now the question of the ALDERAMIN means of reaching the goal of "Swarajya" is not at all considered, whether it is to be constitutional or otherwise, as can be Article I of the Constitution of the Indian National Congress. The followers of Mr. M. K. to their knee. The non-co-operation movement, which is now set on foot by men like Mr. Gandhi. itself shows that the goal of

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WAR MEMORIAL INSTITUTE.

There must be quite a supplier of people in Hongkong like ourselves wondering what is fullpening in connection with the imetal in this district, and we bottom which saved the vessel, as scheme to make part of Hangkong's War Memorial identified with believe it was discovered that the lower bottom showed gaping a Y.M.C.A. Institute. There was recently a public meeting at the whole hill, which is of consid. holes which required the replacwhich it was all discussed and, we thought, decided. But now the erable size, was practically one of new plates. In addition to Committee issuing the appeal for subscriptions has let out of the bag i mass of iron ore. It is said that this, cracks showed in the boilers. the fact that the builting is going to be called "War Memorial" Institute." We have no quarref with the name as a name, but we shown that an average yield of involve a considerable outlay. were under the impression that we were going to have a Y.M.C.A. If that is still a fact, we don't see why the public should not have pected to be extracted from these been invited to subscribe to a Y.M.C.A.

Let us just see where the whole of this matter stands; go back to the beginning and get our facts clear. It will be recalled that in preparation for peace celebrations a Peace Celebrations and Warl Memorial Committee was formed and that from that general in respect of this hill and the militarists, the last few years in dings to live sucking pige and body a War Memorial San-Commattee was chosen, charged with the Inumerous areas of land scattered Canton, is now still loyal to the hampers. But you'll have to task of dealing with some suitable memorial. It called for suggestions and it received a great number, ranging from the merely utilitarian to the exclusively mamorial. And it is interesting to recall that among those suggestions was one in favour a Services Club or Institute. But the recommendation of the Sub-l'ommittee, which was subsequently approved by the General to a mining and smelting industry When this was shown to one Ho Mun Tin, right in the centre out the plan. Ships to be laid off is distasteful to baronets and Committee, was that a "simple monument" be erected on the 25 "finest site" at a cost of something like \$30,000. Nothing, further was heard of the proposed memorial until quite recently when local from Europe, but with the hewever, would not give the n't envy residents of the Garden architects were invited to submit designs, although by this time the proposed expenditure had been reduced to \$145,000. Here we can leave the memorial question for a enument or two whilst we look at something else. Coincident with the memorial movement, another! movement had been set on foot for the provision of a local Y.M.C.A building to cater for the needs of the Army, the Navy and the Future Prospects. civilian population. Aimost without a word of warning, the public were informed at a meeting convened in the City Hall that the War Memorial Committee favoured the incorporation of the major portion of a memorial scheme with this new Y. M. C. A. building, difficulty should be encountered of Torres Buildings, Kimberley and the Hon. Mr. John Johnstone sprang "Something of a surprise on those present by announcing that the Committee had mer that morning and had decided on such a course. We have already fulfil a requirement that is really given away by her brother, Mr expressed our or injunt that the idea is a good one, and the meeting felt by, the Colony. There may E. endorsed what was proposed. Thus it was that two separate and be some inconveniences arising by Miss Ruby Young and very real need. distinct schemes became merged. But a discussion took place from the absence of coal within Miss Cissy Hast as bridesat that meeting regarding the name of the new building. There close proximity to the iron dewas some vagueness about the question, although the meeting had posits that could be utilised for only just previously passed a resolution approving of a "Y.M.C.A. smelting purposes, but it is felt building" and later passed the following:-"That this meeting that these difficulties can approves of the present Directors of the Y. M.C. A. now in Hong- overcome, as the situation Seyer left for Macao and Canton. p.m It is hoped there will be a kong, together with representatives from the Navy and Army, as a of Saddle Hill places Board to manage this scheme." His Excellency the Governor thought within close proximity to the name could be left to the Board of Directors and so it was the seashore and therefore Colony, and on his arrival eventually agreed. And we learn from the appeal now issued and accessible to transportation of we hope to hear that his imalso from the Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak, whom we approached the building a "War Memorial Institute." Not a word about the and a wharf constructed that the smelting industry mentioned an opening meeting was held clation authorizes it to lay off 30 ing the interval between his Y.M.C.A.

to be a Y.M.C.A. affair, or is it going to be an institute run on "Y.M.C.A. lines"? There is a great deal of difference between the tages which Saddle Hill possess labour for the large number of two. If it is to be a Y.M.C.A., run on testotal lines, the subscribing in respect to transport are further natives in the various villages, public ought to know it and the letters "Y.M.C.A." should be in the illustrated by the fact that the many of whom, with the resumpmatter. Far be it from us to do anything or say anything that to the railway, a point which will Government for development is appealing for £500,000 to re-operation to share the losses on celebrated his return by making would dampen intending subscribers; we wish the institution the very be more appreciated if, in the purposes, have been forced out lieve the financial situation vessels taken out of commission 426 baronets. best of luck, but we feel bound to voice the general opinion that course of the present prospecting, of employment. Labour in this caused by the war. Already more The committee will begin its man put it "The whole business seems shrouded in mystery." districts possess coal that will quired for mining purposes in subscribed, including £125,000 shipowners requiring this immed- £5,000 FOR OPHTHALMIC HOME. ing of the project by the public is essential to the success of the industry. Sir Paul Chater, to circumstances into consideration, of Birmingham, the University the interests of the public is essential to the success of the appeal? Is the title "War Memorial Institute" an attempt at whom credit is due for being the we are certain that such an in- being unique in its possession of are menaced by the paralyzation the Royal London Ophthalmic camouflage? Some people are already thinking so. For the sake first to recognise the mineral dustry as the one in contemplat- an oil engineering and technology more or less complete of the Hospital for the purpose of of honesty and for the sake of the institute, let us have this thing prospects of the New Territories, ion can be placed on a firm department, which sends its gra- means of interisland transporta- starting an ophthalmic convalclear. Will the Committee kindly tell us?

NOTES & COMMENTS.

"Pussyfoot" Coming?

We notice a report from Home that the next spot which "Pussyfoot" Johnstone is to visit will in all probability be India and that on his way back to America therefrom he will probably touch at the leading British settlements in the Far East. If this story is true, we shall most likely see and hear this tectotal champion in the foreshore at Shaukiwan West of. Hongkong. At the time of writing, was destroyed by a fire yesterwe do not know the final day. The loss is estimated at \$30. result of the polling in Scotland on the Prohibition issue, though we cannot imagine the people north of the Tweed going the whole hog in favour of a "dry country. Well, if "Pussyfoot, has not succeeded in Scotland, we wouldn't give much, for his chance in Hongkong. In any case, the people here don't have anything decisive to say on questions of this or any other publicharacter-the Government decides these little matters of policy for us. So if "Pussyloot" comes, Thirty-two Shanghai Horse the other day I saw a Police car, and that the fund is now in pos- alist, who came to London early the issue taken up in the House way Bay, at 5.15 p.m. of Commons at Home, though we fear his efforts even in that quartaxicants, texcepting, we believe. Governor of Macao. light wines, beers, and a few ! " the worried over the possible lass. he's got to say-and then go or list as usual!

New Territory Minerals.

Now that measures are under way for an exhaustive investigation into the mineral resources of the New Territories, it will be interesting to know what the appliances and Brigade were betterment of traffic conditions in to the liberal scale of allowances This is a problem which crops up experts engaged by the Economic Resources Commission for this breaking off the chimney where work have to say in regard to the possib lities of Saddle Hill and the saved. surrounding areas, which are known to possess rich deposits of The Lake Faulk is undergoing iron ores. Many years back, extensive repairs at the Taikoo before the outbreak of the Great | Docks in consequence of her el by Sir Paul Chater to Examination of the damage inascertain the extent of the dicated that it was her double from the samples taken it was and the refitting of the vessel will 25 per cent, metal could be exores. The consequence of this stated that Captain Tom Gunn, K.C.C. Goose Club Christmas encouraging discovery was that the noted Chinese aviator who draw! If you haven't, it's about Sir Paul applied for and obtained was in the service of Mu Yung- time you got busy. There are all from the Covernment a concession haien and Ma Chi, two Kwangsi sorts of prizes, from Kmas pudin the vicinity where ores were Kwangslites against the interest bring your own prizes away! discovered to exist in considerable of his native provincials. He is quantities. It was intended that reported having made purchase machinery could be procured the truth of this report. He. outbreak of war and the exact address of Captain Tons .restriction it brought in the ex- Conton Times. portation of machinery, all further developments had come to a

have been removed, no further By Sir Paul in the pursuance of his original plans, which wi is shortly returning to the footing.

DAY BY DAY.

WHEN A MANTHINKS THAT HIS PLACE IS RELOW. HIM, HE WILL PRETTY SOON BE BELOW HIS PLACE. - C. H. Spargeon.

Yesterday's health return shows one fatal case of plague (Chinese)

The Portuguese community into Court. is giving a luncheon at the Hongkong Hotel to-morrow in honour of H. E. the Governor

ter would be equally futile. We cellency the Governor and Lady great. I suppose it was up to me recall the "semi-dry" experiment Stubbs have accepted the invit- to prosecute! Supposing I hadcarried out in this Colony during ation issued by the Portuguese should I have succeeded in gettthe war, by which some of our community to luncheon at the ing a conviction? I wonder! leading residents, including the Hongkong. Hotel to-morrow in then Governor, foreswore all in- honour of His Excellency the

> races at Yau Tong on Sunday to others. If they don't, one of 1.15 p.m. Tiffins at \$1 per head a trap to catch them! can be booked at the V.R.C. up to 1 p.m. on Saturday.

hurried to the scene, and by the fire started, the house was

day, at St. Andrew's Church. Kowloon, of Mr. Edward Kenneth Seyer, of Foodbow, and Miss Now that these restrictions Kathleen Abraham, youngest daughter of Mr. A. E. Abraham, Road, Kowloon. The Rev. G. R. Lindsay officiated. The bride was

maids, whilst Mr. R. G. Shaw

coal from the harbour. The water mediate plans have been con- a troop of the Girl Guides has object, the board of directors of Charles I. made 253 baroners at this part could be deepened, cerned with the establishing of been formed in Kowloon and that the Philippine Shipowners Asso-during the Civil War, while durwould provide berthing facilities above, thereby contributing to last Saturday. The Lieutenant is percent of the interisland tonnage death and the Restoration baronets Now, we want to know is just where matters stand. Is it going for vessels engaged in connection the progress of the Colony, and Mrs. Cater. with the industry. The advantat the same time promoting

KOWLOON NOTES.

(By "The Ferryman").

Kowloon residents were interested to read the otherday of the Open to Portuguese Youths. prosecution of a motorist for The Associacae Portuguesa de driving recklessly in Nathan Secores Mutues, of which Mr Road. There's far too much C. A. da Roza is the President scorehing along that busy and Mr. V. F. Soares thoroughfare, both by cars and Secretary, issues the following latter date, since when all motor-bikes, and it's about time circular regarding the "Ignes A stack of grass deposited on somebody was made an example Scares Scholarship":-

I'm not going to say whether the conviction of this particular that Mrs. Ignes da Roza Soares Mesors. Mackintosh and Com- chauffeur was justified or not, puny have issued a dainty deak though the evidence, as I read it \$7,500 in trust with the calendar, bearing an exterior in the papers, was not very conphotograph of their well-known clusive. Still, if only as a warning to others, it's perhaps just as well that the case was brought scholarship in the Hongkong pamphlet it appears that the well-

By the way, who is supposed motor-cars to see that they do creating the Trust has now been projector and founder of the not exceed the speed limit? Only executed by the generous donor, "Peerage" was an Irish journwon't cut much ice. If he Bazaar subscription griffins have driven by one of the officials, session of the Society. The annual in the nineteenth century, and really wants to convert Hong- ing arrived per s.s. Szechuen, tearing down Nathan Road at a value of the scholarship is esti- saw the need of a Peerage in a kong to tegtotalism, he might be they will be drawn for to-day at speed which must have been close mated at \$600. The Committee single volume that could be conmuch better employed in getting the Jockey Club Stables, Cause- on forty miles an bonr. The will be pleased to receive applic- sulted as easily as our modern danger to the public, and to the ations from intending students, or ABC Railway Guide. It was many children playing in the from their parents or guardians, immediately successful. It is We are informed that His Ex. locality, was, in my opinion, very

> Police should bring others book whilst at the same time The V. R. C. is holding some they are a law unto themselves. nteresting sailing and rowing It's their duty to set an example which the examination is held. next. Launches will leave these days some of our public- one student being eligible, the

So far, the "control" area In addition to the scholarship scheme, as applied to motorists, stated above, which is available Slight damage was caused by a has not been extended to Kowloon. to the Portuguese communities hire which broke out at No. 16. However, I hear that the matter of Hongkong and Macao general-Temple Street at 420 p.m. is under consideration and that ly, the attention of members must be forced to slink into thirds yesterday. The Yaumati fire a big scheme for the general of the Society is drawn or pay the difference themselves. Kowloon will be initiated in con-payable out of the Society's from "time to time in different nection with the forthcoming University Fund to parents or commencement of the motor bus guardians desirous of sending ing story of a certain great railservice.

their guests, will be gathering in value of the Scholarship and the strong force at the Club de allowance payable by the Society War, a mining expert was engag- recent mishap on the Paracels. Recreio to-morrow afternoon, should substantially. if not chairman was indignant, and dewhen a garden party is to be held altogether, meet the cost of the manded whose was the special in honour of the visit of H. E. student's education. the Governor of Macao. It should The Committee earnestly hope him. And the reply came that it be a very jolly affair, and I hear that candidates for the scholar- was a "general manager's that there is likely to be dancing ship will be forthcoming in special." Another aspect of the on the splendid floor which was connection with put down for the recent Republi- Matriculation Examination. can anniversary celebrations.

Local press reports yesterday! Have you got a ticket in the

From all that I hear, there is diggings should be started with a of aeroplanes in Macao for very marked disapproval of the view to opening up this district the use of the Kwangsi Army, scheme to lay out a cometery at soon as the essential of his friends, he denied of a residential district. As there is to be a Chinese section, I should City when the joss pidgin is under way. I hope the K.R.A. will take this matter up and The wedding took place yester- cause the scheme to be abandoned. Taw products.

The new Bishop created a most ment: admirable impression on his re-Hall. He talked to men as men convoked to consider the grave that baronets should rank next to and showed an obvious desire to crisis confronting the interisland barons in the official social pretake an interest in their social shipping business because of the cedence of Great Britain, and life. The new Association, if run paralyzation of commercial acti- that the number of baronets Abraham, and attended on broad lines, should meet a vities in general, appointed a should never exceed two hundred.

In connection with St. Andrew's acted as "best man." A reception Church, an organ recital and was later held at No. 4, Aimai carol service are to be held on Villas, after which Mr. and Mrs. Thursday, the 23rd instant, at 6 large attendance.

BIRMINGHAM UNIVERSITY. district is within close proximity tion of cultivable land by the The University of Birmingham other vessels which remain in extinct in 1660, when Charles IL. it is revealed that the interior Colony is cheap, and that re- than half the amount has been labours at once, the interests of all meet the requirements of this easily procurable. Taking these from the oil-producing interests late action, and more especially Sir William and Lady Lister

SCHOLARSHIP TO HONGKONG UNIVERSITY.

In the report for the year 1919 issued in August last, the Committee of the Society announced had offered to place the sum of Society, the income from which will be dedicated in perpetuity towards the establishment of a University available to the youths known handlook "Burke's Person of the Portuguese communities age "is now in its 95th year, the

of Hongkong and Macao.

erning the scholarship are i-1. The scholarship is tenable tion, which has existed for close in any Faculty of the Hongkong on a century. John Burke was University for five or six years, succeeded by a brilliant son, Sir at the discretion of the Trustees. Bernard Burke, and his son, the

lage of eighteen on the date in alogy and heraldry to the pages 3. In the event of more than reference. candidate who obtains the highest aggregate result at the Matriculation Examination.

their sons or wards to the Hongkong University. Should the son which was travelling in an ordin-Our Portuguese friends and of a member be successful, the

SHIPPING STAGNATION.

Philippine Steamers to be Laid Up.

Thirty per cent. of interisland tonnage is to be taken out of commission on January 1. says the Manila Bulletin, according to is a baronet when he receives a a decision reached at a meeting letter beginning "Deir sir" fires of the Shipowners' Association off a printed circular pointing out at a special meeting at which a that such an expression, being committee was appointed to carry common to all grades of society, will be selected by lot and the "discourteous when applied to losses will be mutually shared members of our Ancient and among the companies, it is said. Hereditary Degree." This is The reason for the action is the only one of the many grievances almost total paralysis of business inflicted on that long-suffering due to the lack of a market for Order, whose troubles begand

are now suffering.

It is of interest to record that mittee is unable to attain this order were extended indefinitely. - . _ and to make additional reductions | were created by two parties—the of tonnage in actual operation if King in exile and the actual conditions do not improve.

probably be chosen by lot, the eleven, all of which became

TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

The creation of Scottish baronetcies ceased in 1707 and of Irish baronetcles in 1801. After the first date baronets of Great Britain took the place of English and Scottish baronets until the creations have been styled baronets of the United Kingdom. The precedency of Scottishand Iriah baronets is, however, left undetermined by the respective Acts of Union with Scotland and Ireland, as these Acis made no provision for the precedence of

From an interesting little first edition having been published The Committee have now the in 1826, a modest little octavo to keep an eye on the Police pleasure to state that the deed volume of some 400 pages. The The principal regulations gov- interesting to find that "Burke" has an unbroken family connec-Anyhow, it isn't right that the and is awarded on the results of present Sir Henry Burke, Garter to the Matriculation Examination. King of Arms, still brings his 2. Students must be under the unrivalled knowledge of geneof this justly celebrated work of

> An amusing controversy hask risen in Yorkshire as regards the right of city councillors and suchlike to travel first class at the community's expense. It is argued that municipal officials travel first class and that it is lrather hard if "their masters" ways. There was an entertainway company the chairman of ary train which was "sidetracked" at a station to allow a special to pass. The which thus took precedence of question is that of the exact meaning of the "first-class expenses" system. There have always been officials who considered it a legitimate source of income to travel third when receiving firstclass expenses, and a certain amount of casuistry has been expended on the defence of this use of other people's money.

According to the Observer, there almost as soon as it was Following is the official state- founded. When James I. started selling baronetcies at "The Philippine Shipowners £1,095 apiece, he engaged for cent visit to the Kowloon Church Association in a special meeting himself, his heirs and successors committee composed of represent Both promises were speedily tatives from Gutierrez Hermanos, broken. When the Lords in Fernandez Hermanos, Jean M. Council protested against the Poizat and Sy Cong Bieng and precedence claimed by the new company which is empowered to Order, James agreed that baronets effect a reduction in operating should rank after the younger costs which "may reduce some sons of barons instead of before what the losses which ships where them. Seven years latere by the device of creating baronets "If before January 1 this com- of Ireland, the limits of the ruler of the realm. The Crom-"Vessels to be laid off will wellian baronetcies numbered

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CORRESPONDENCE.

To the Editor of the "Hongkong Telegraph,". }-

Building on Rubbish.

course of events, should have deal of unnecessary expense for Mr. Lee Chock been taken, by the special lighters the public. ment had taken into its head to the Colony's filthy refuse. divert it to Cheung Shall Wan, where it is entirely used in the reclamation of one particular section of the foreshore.

It is to be an experiment, we Reid,... are told, but what a costly one Mrs. will be realised when it turns | Anderson, ... out the wrong way and proves Messrs. Varenne to the Government that, for & Proton, ... 10 practicable building purposes, it Messrs. will at best provide an unstable and germ breeding place for the Mr. Fung Siu unfortunate people who choose Sir-I notice that the Sanitary to dwell on the site. Then it will Department is taking a hand in probably be found necessary, in the reclamation of the foreshore the interests of public health and of Cheung Sha Wan by contribut. development of the Colony's ing its daily yield of house refus? harbour, to remove the stinking Messrs. Sang Now, this rubbish, in the ordinary pile, a work which will entail a

that have been provided for its Good, solid building soil from Mr. Pak Yat transportation, to a convenient the levelled hills on the mainland distance at sea and dumped there, is surely not so scarce that such Mr. Lam Kwok but this was before the Govern-economy need be practised with

> Yours etc. OBSERVER. Hongkong, Dec. 16, 1920.

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We are requested by Bishop Pozzoni to publish his grateful acknowledgment of the following donations received by him in response to his appeal on behalf of the Waichow Destitutes:-

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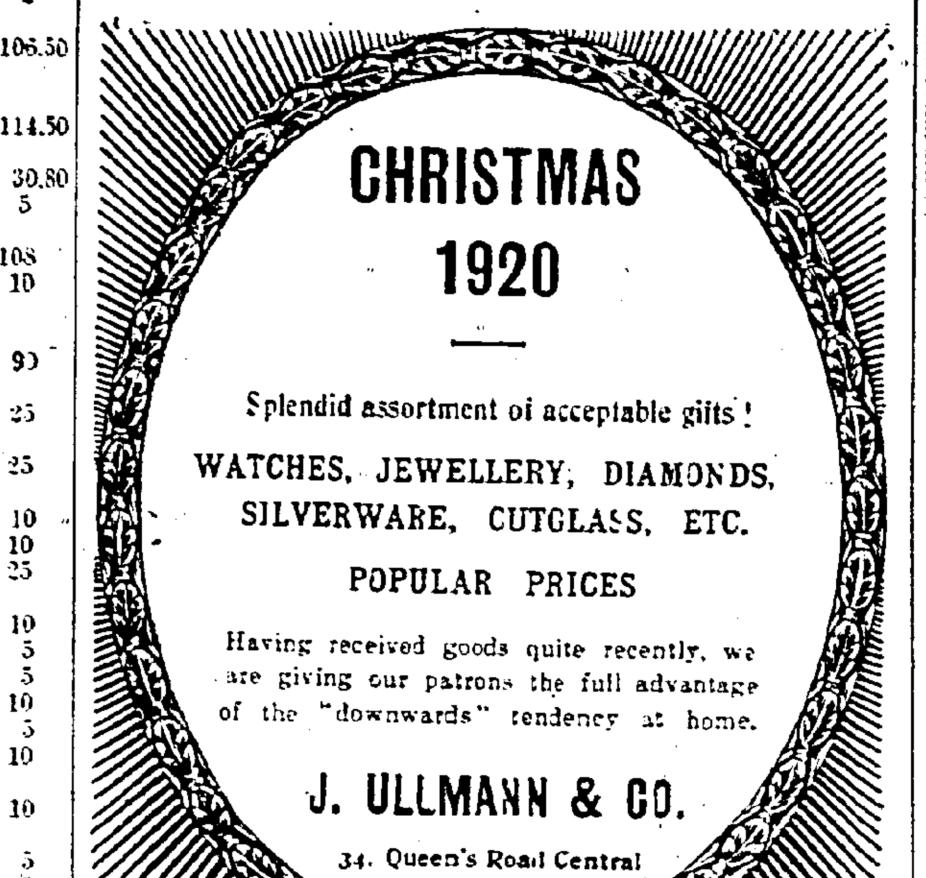
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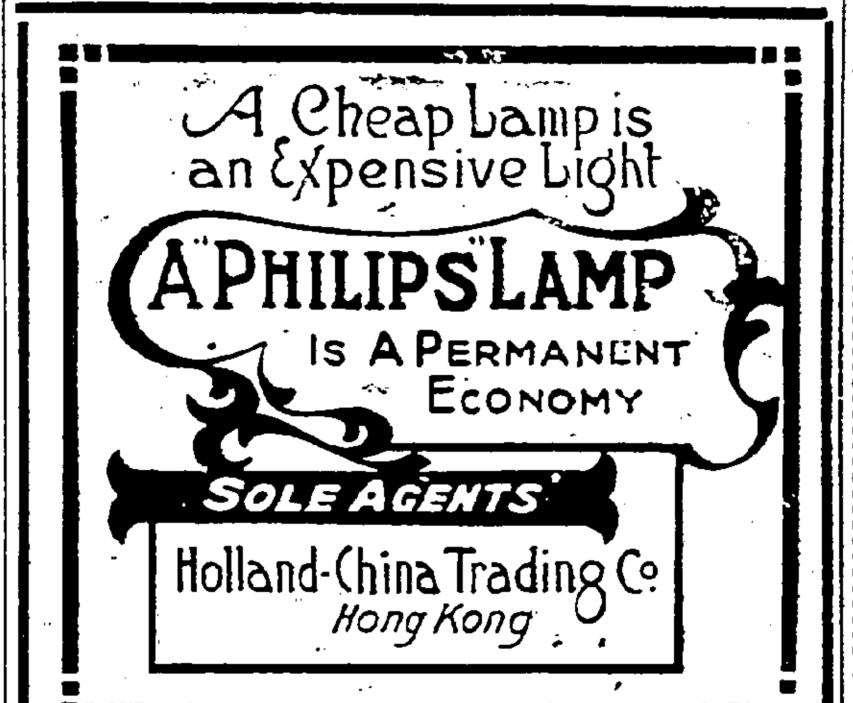
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WORLD OF SPORT.

Liverpool centre-forward, in Sep. ren's remedy. tember at Anfield between Liverpool and a team of international Val Brilliant, Quebec, writes:players, realised over £590.

are said to have fought like wild to be without them! I have used cats in their recent contest. One them for constipation and vomitof the Judges declared for Lynch, ling and am well pleased with the and other for a draw, and the re- result." feree gave his vote for a draw.

men" on behalf of disabled to break up simple colds and officers and their dependents has levers. Obtainable from medicine so far realised the sum of £20,000. | dealers, also at 60 cents the vial Racing heads the list of contribu- post free, from The Dr. Williams' tions, followed by Golf and Foot- Medicine Co., 96 Szechnen Road.

The Banque Industrielle de Chine beg to inform the holders of the temporary bonds of the Credit National 1919, which have been subscribed through them, that | same must be exchanged in their Paris Office for definite bonds before March 1921.

SICKLY BABIES.

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TRAIN SMASH.

When spreading rails recently sent a crowded Pacific Overland train over an embankment near Manx, Nevada, four passengers were killed and twenty injured. Photo shows wrecking squads clearing away debris.



REMARKABLE HORSEMANSHIP OF LONDON POLICE.

The mounted police of London, who have been called upon recently to quell numerous riots in connection with the coal strike and other labour troubles, are kept up to the minute by drills and exhibitions. Recently at Kensington Garden the mounted police gave a wonderful exhibition of skill and horsemanship including tent pegging, jumping, "cutting off the Turks head," etc.



CYCLED ACROSS CONTINENT.

These two California girls, Beverly Bayard and Lorline Davis, have ridden across the continent to New York on bicycles, then ridden to Florida and crossed Cuba on a cycling tour on the island.

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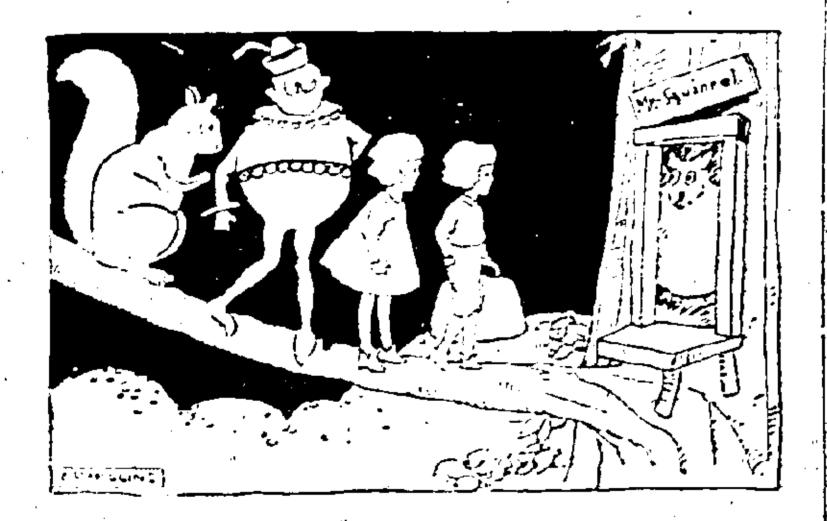
SCRAMBLE SQUIRREL A PRISONER.

"Ah, Ha!" exclaimed Tingaling when Mrs. Squirrel told him that Scramble, her husband, had got so fat she couldn't get into her own house. If that is the case, why don't you go in and let him stay out. That's what Mrs. Tingaling did when I gained so rapidly. She said I was ruining the bed-springs, so she put me in a bammock in the back yard."

"Ob, yes," added Nick, "and Daddy often, sleeps outside in our tent when it's hot. Once he let Nancy and me sleep there, too!"

"Humph!" snorted Mrs. Squirrel, "don't you s'pose I'd let Scramble sleep out, and live out, and stay out only too gladly! There's just one trouble. I can't get him out."

"Goodness!" "cried Tingaling. "That's funny! Why. I remember particularly that when he took the place and signed the



Just then they heard an awful sigh, and turning they beheld Scramble himself.

lease, he measured the doorway with his whiskers. . He says, says 'Mr. Tingaling, this doorway is just wide enough. Because, if my whiskers will go in without touching at either side, my body will go in nicely, too."

"Of course!" nodded Mrs. Squrirrel, "but he was skinny as a of Infants and Dyspeptics; (3) MILFORD-McGRATH FLUID bone then, after starving all winter. The trouble was that after INSECTICIDE the Best Fluid for destroying Bless Mosquitoes, moving in, we found the pantry chuck full of goodies, hickorynute. and hazelnuts, and acorns, and what not, that last year's people had left behind them. And Scramble was so hungry, he ate up nearly SOAPS for keeping everything clean in Houses. the entire stock at one meal, never noticing that his sides were gotting like watermolons. When he did discover what had happenod, it was too late! He couldn't get out of the house! He stuck tight every time he tried."

Just then they heard an awful sigh, and turning they beheld Scramble himself, or rather his head, gazing wistfully at them from the doorway.

ALCOHOL MEXTURES FOR MOTOR FUEL

Results Of Research.

Professor Dixon, of Manchester University, reported to an audience gathered at the Royal Automobile Club the other day the first result of the researches he has been conducting on alcohol as a motor fuel. The gathering was in connection with the Imperial Motor Transport Council. which has been holding conferences in London.

Protessor Dixon emphasised the fact that he was reporting on first results only, because the work was by no means finished. and he proposed to continue and present a complete report later on.

In the course of these researches, he continued, it has been made clear that alcoholpossesses most of the properties required in a motor fuel. As compared with petrol, lower calorific value is almost compensated greater compression which it can be used - and this

property (of high ignition temperature under compression) is hardly altered by admixture with 20 per cent, of benzene, or of petrol itself. Such a mixture readily starts in the cold, and has been shown to run very smoothly and without knocking in an

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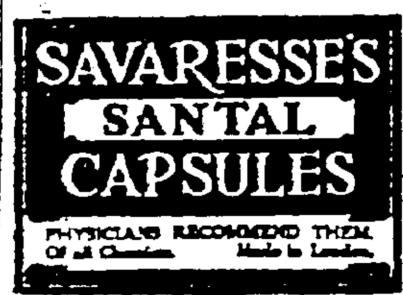
engine.

At the Imperial Motor Transport Conference at Olympia a let vor. paper on "Power Alcohol in Relation to State Control" was read by Sir Charles H. Bedford. What was required at the present moment, he said, was steady and lintensive work on an adequate scale as regarded the production and development of power, as well as of industrial alcohol, in our various overseas possessions, and the consideration, with the THE CHINA SPECIE BANK LTD. Government authorities concerned, of the modification of restrictions which hampered the

power or industrial alcohol. A paper was read by Dr. W R. Ormandy, in which he said that our Colonies and Dependencles there were huge areas of land, not at present under cultivation, which could be devoted to the growth of products such as maize, bananas, and other tropical starch-bearing plants, where it | would not pay to move the products in the form that they were produced to the coast.

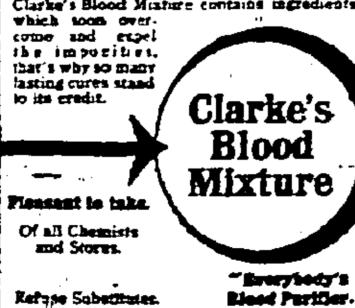
production and distribution of

Mr. W. H. Ross, managing director of the Distillers' Company, said that the distillers were not allowing the grass to grow under their feet. They had already sent representatives to British Guiana to consider whether the material could be produced for alcohol at an economical figure. Other representatives were being dispatched to other parts of the world including British East



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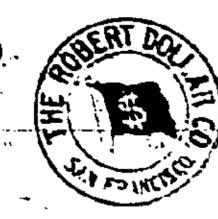
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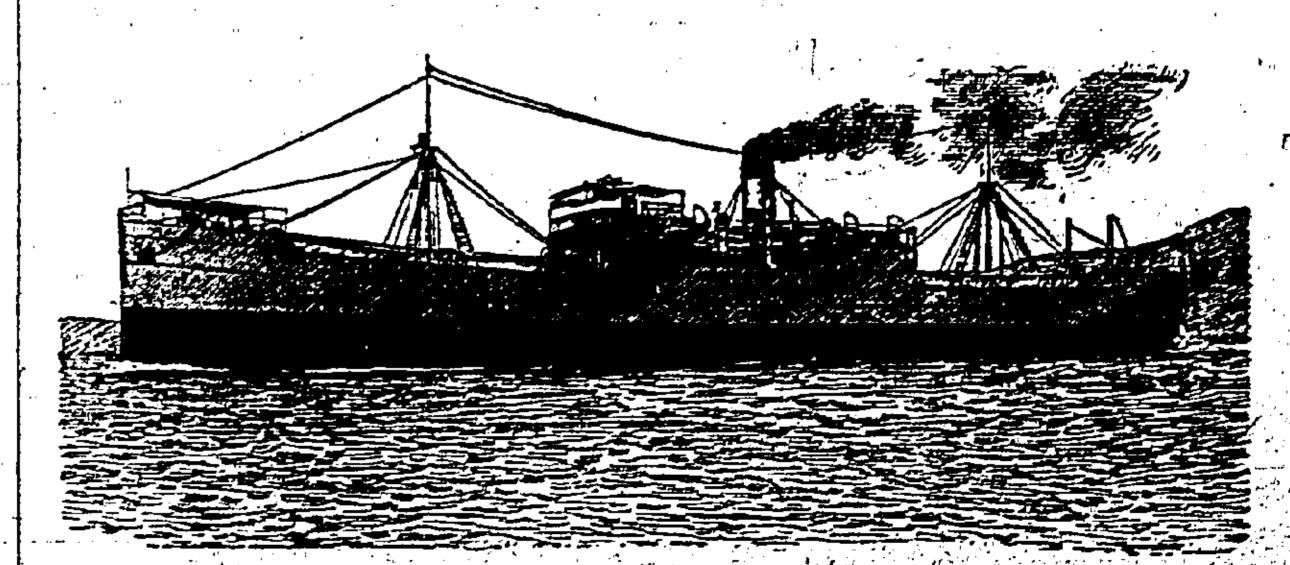
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The R. M. S. MONTEAGLE left Vancouver for Hongkong, via Japan ports, Shanghai on the 129th Nov., and is due here on or to about the 26th December.

The s.s. SAMARANG MARU. substituted for s.s. BORNEO M.,

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The N. Y. K. s.s. KOTSU M. this port via Singapore on the

The s.s. KNIGHT TEMPLAR. on 11th inst. for Hongkong and

The N. Y. K. s.s. LIMA M. (Hamburg Line.) left Dairen for this port direct on the 12th Dec. and is expected here on the 17th December. The N. Y. K. s s. KATORI M.

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and is due at Yokohama on or

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20th Jan. The s.s. SCHODACK left New York for Hongkong via ports Nov. t3th and is expected here Jan. 10th, 1921.

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Monday, 20th Dec.

KOONSANG, 5 p.m. -Per CHAK SANG, 1 p.m.

"Swatow and Bangkok-Per

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Stanghai & N. China-Per Fresh monsoon may be expect- Fal. Mr. Lok Kim. ed along the south east coast of Miss Laura J. Bonzano, Mr. and Struits, Bangkok, & Calcutta China and over the N. China Sea. Mrs. Arnest Bouril, Mr. Wm de

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T. F. CLAXTON, -Director. H.K. Observatory, Dec. 17.

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The GREGORY APCAR arrived yesterday from Calcutta with 1,123 tons of general merchandise for Hongkong and 3,744 tons for the North. She carried 320 deck passengers and reports heavy monsoon. - Mooring Kowloon Wharf.

Coal was consigned here from Keelung yesterday by the O.S.K.'s AMAKUSA M., which brought 589 tons. - Mooring O.S.U. Wharf.

From Melbourne the N. Y. K.'s NIKKO M. delivered yesterday evening 47 tons of provisions, bone, etc., for Hongkong and 1,090 tons for the North.-Mooring Kowloon Wharf.

The s.s. DRYDEN, operated by the Admiral Line, brought this morning from New York 1.200 tons of cargo for the Colony. -Mouring B 26.

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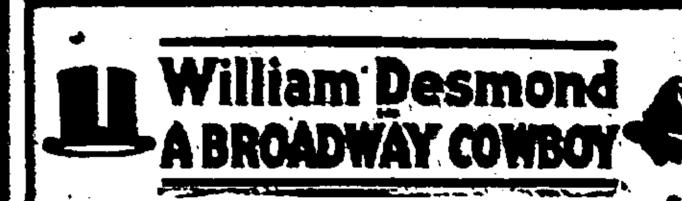
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